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FOREIGN TRADE IN MEATS.

The exposure of packing house methods and its effect on the foreign trade of the United States lend interest to the figures of export of meats and meat products.

The ten months for which complete figures have been presented by the Department of Commerce and Labor through its Bureau of Statistics show a total of 166 millions, and as preliminary figures for May indicate a total of over 16 millions for that month, this would make the total exports of meats and meat products up to June 1st about 182 million dollars, with one month remaining to complete the fiscal year. These figures for eleven months show a larger exportation of meats and meat products than in the corresponding period of any other year in the history of our export trade, and show an increase of practically 60 per cent. when compared with the figures for the corresponding months of 1896, a decade earlier.

This large increase occurs in all of the principal products, but is especially noticeable in lard, oleo oil, salted pork, fresh beef and fresh pork. The value of lard exportations in the ten months ending with April, 1896, was 28½ million dollars; in the corresponding period ending with April, 1906, it was 51½ millions, having thus nearly doubled in ten years. Exports of fresh beef increased from a little less than 15 million dollars in the ten months ending with April, 1896, to practically 20 millions in the same months of 1906; hams, from 9½ millions to 16½ millions; oleo oil and oleomargarine, from 7½ millions to practically 15 millions; salted pork, from 3½ millions to practically 10 millions. Canned-beef exports show but little increase during the decade, the value in ten months of 1896 being 5 million dollars and in the same months of 1906 a little less than 5½ millions. Exports of bacon also show but a slight increase, the value in the ten months ending with April, 1896, being practically 29 million dollars, and in the corresponding period of the present fiscal year 29½ millions.

In order of magnitude, the exportation of meats and meat products are, for the ten months ending with April, 1906: Lard, 51½ million dollars; bacon, 29 millions; beef, fresh, practically 20 millions; hams, 16 2-3 millions; oleo oil and oleomargarine, 15 millions; salted pork, 10 millions; canned beef, 5½ millions; salted beef, 4 millions; tallow, a little less than 4 millions; sausage casings, 2½ millions, and fresh and canned pork, a million dollars each. Thus the total value of meat and meat products exported in the fiscal year 1906 will approximate 200 million dollars, and will probably exceed that of any earlier year.

All parts of the world are purchasers of American provisions. The lard exports of 1905 went direct from the United States to 75 different countries and colonies, the largest quantity to the United Kingdom, valued at 17½ million dollars; to Germany, about 15 millions; to Netherlands, practically 5 millions; to Belgium, 2½ millions; to Cuba, 1½ millions; while the remainder went in sums of less than 1 million dollars' value to various other countries and colonies, practically every European country being a purchaser to a greater or less extent, as were all of the countries of North and South America and the principal countries of Asia and Oceania.

Bacon, which stands second in importance in the value of meat products exported, goes largely to the United Kingdom, which took in 1905 practically 21 million dollars' worth out of the total of 25½ million dollars' worth exported. The next largest purchaser was Belgium, a little over 1 million dollars' worth, followed by Netherlands to the value of about a half million dollars, and Cuba a half million of fresh beef. The United Kingdom is the principal purchaser, the value thereof taken in 1905 having been \$22,021,642 out of a total exportation of \$22,138,365. Hams show the next largest total, and of the 21½ million dollars' worth exported in 1905, 19½ millions went to the United Kingdom, about one-half million dollars' worth to Belgium, and a half million dollars' worth to Cuba. Oleomargarine and oleo oil, the latter used for the production of oleomargarine, rank next to hams in the total value of meat products exported, amounting in ten months of 1906 to practically 15 million dollars, the bulk of which is oleo oil. This article goes chiefly to the butter-making countries, the largest part to Netherlands, which took 6½ million dollars' worth out of the 11½ million dollars' worth exported in 1905; the value sent to Germany was a little less than 2 millions; to the United Kingdom, 1 million; to Norway three-quarters of a million, and to Denmark, about a half million dollars. Of the 9½ million dollars' worth of salted pork exported in 1905, nearly 6 million dollars' worth went to the United Kingdom and less than a half million to any other country. Canned beef exportations amount to about 6 million dollars annually and have changed little in value for several years, having been 5 million dollars in 1901 and 6½ millions in 1905, and the quantity ranging from 53½ million pounds in 1901 to 66½ millions in 1905. In this, as in most of the other classes of meats exported, the United Kingdom was by far the largest purchaser, taking over 4 million dollars' worth in 1905, against a little less than 1½ millions' worth sent to Japan and about one-third of a million's worth to South Africa.

Great Britain, it will be seen, is by far the largest purchaser of American meat products. Of the 75 million dollars' worth of bacon, ham, fresh beef and canned beef exported in 1905, the United Kingdom took 66 million dollars' worth, or practically 90 per cent. of the total; of the total exports of meats, valued at 100 millions, she took 80 million dollars' worth, while of the 40½ million dollars' worth of cattle exported in the same year she took 36½ million dollars worth.

The late General Kodama was the brains of the Japanese army in the war with Russia. The victories over Kuropatkin and Stoessel were planned and in large extent wrought out by him. He did the intellectual work for which the venerable Oyama received the credit. His death, which was probably hastened by his exposures and anxieties in the war, has reduced the potential military strength of his country.

If the theatrical trust bars the press critics from its playhouses the press may conclude to bar theatrical news from its columns. How long could the trust stand that?

Interest in Russell Sage's will was long ago stimulated by the old financier's promise to surprise the public with it.

Engineer Kellogg is a foxy grandpa. No Honolulu for him when the report comes home to roost.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Neither Superintendent Holloway nor Assistant Howland evinces any gloom over the prospects of Expert Kellogg's report on the Nuuanu dam.

In accordance with the Supreme Court's decision, Territorial Treasurer Campbell yesterday turned over to County Treasurer Trent \$23,090.35 of collected delinquent taxes.

Through the local Elks, who have received a communication from his manager, Elbert Hubbard, editor of The Philistine, a brilliant free thought periodical, may deliver a lecture in Honolulu within a few months.

A branch track of the Oahu Railway will be laid to the quarry at Makua, to get out the stone for the two new bays of St. Andrew's cathedral. Fred Harrison will begin operations at the quarry as soon as the track is laid.

Governor Carter has bought Dr. C. B. Wood's seaside place at Kaalalua for \$6000. He had become enamored of the beach at that end of the island, between Diamond Head and Waialae, while staying at A. W. Carter's place there.

District Attorney Breckons as general adviser and Sam Johnson as Russian interpreter were kept busy yesterday by the struggling Molokans, who are gradually getting back to the colony in Los Angeles since quitting the Kapa Kane fields. They have been re-

ceiving funds by mail and cable, and need friendly assistance in collecting the drafts.

The 400 six and eight-inch sewer pipes, unloaded Saturday from the bark Coronado, were gone over yesterday by the government inspectors. A good many of them were found to be cracked and damaged.

George H. Fairchild, manager of Makee Sugar Co.'s plantation, is announced as a candidate for the Senate from Kauai. It is further reported that if elected he will oppose the administration on account of the Molokan experiment.

C. J. McCarthy is reported as decisively declining to be the Democratic candidate for sheriff. Curtis P. Iaukea, the original Democratic possibility, is said to be wearing the doubting cap on the same proposition. Treasurer Trent's name is looming up again for the sheriavalty on the Democratic ticket.

Captain Amberman, in an interview with an afternoon paper, denies explicitly the tales about his treatment of seamen, from which the name "hell ship" was given the Atlas. The reports given the San Francisco papers by Henry Hackney, his one time third mate, were given through spite because it was found necessary to disrate him. The story that he knocked his men about with belaying pins and did not give them enough to eat are false, he said.

PORTUGUESE ELECT THEIR CLUB OFFICERS

The Portuguese Republican Club completed its organization by the election of permanent officers at their meeting last night, held in San Antonio Hall. Of the total membership of 76, there were 65 present, and a number of important resolutions were passed.

The election of officers resulted in the following being chosen: M. A. Silva, president; A. V. Peters, 1st vice president; A. K. Vierra, 2nd vice president; L. R. Medeiros, secretary; A. D. Castro, treasurer; M. A. Gonsalves, M. C. Pacheco, V. Fernandez, A. J. Correa, T. P. Mellin, A. H. R. Vieira and J. A. R. Vieira, executive committee.

The following resolution, introduced by A. D. Castro, was passed: "Be it Resolved, By the members of the Portuguese Republican Club:

"First—That we hereby strictly adhere to the principles of the Republican party of the United States of America. "Second—That we hereby pledge ourselves to abide by the acts of the Republican party of the Territory of Hawaii by upholding the platform of the party and supporting such candidates as may be nominated by the various conventions which take place in the near future."

Another resolution, which was introduced by M. C. Pacheco, and unanimously passed, was as follows:

"Whereas, The Portuguese Republican Club is organized for the purpose of promoting interest in political affairs among the Portuguese-American citizens and those eligible to become such; and

"Whereas, It is our earnest desire to work in conjunction and in harmony with the Republican party of the Territory of Hawaii; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the secretary of this club be instructed to inform the Territorial Central Committee and the Oahu County Committee of the Republican Party of our organization, and that we pledge ourselves to support Republican principles and to cooperate with the party in all matters affecting its welfare.

"Be it further Resolved, That the secretary of this club forward to said committees a list of the names of members of this club and a copy of these resolutions."

The meeting then adjourned to meet on Tuesday, July 31.

VETERAN ODD FELLOW HAPPILY ENTERTAINED

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F. July 23, 1906, at the I. O. O. F. Building."

SONG OF GREETING.

A visitor is here tonight
Whom we honor with all our might,
He has a generous old soul,
And has a friendly grasp for all.
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So that he'll not forget us thus.

Chorus:

He's a whole-souled Odd Fellow;
His creed is Friendship, Love and Truth.

Excelsior, upward and onward,
Extends him first the greeting hand,
And Pacific now steps in line;
She will not be behind the time.
But No. 3, always ready
And like her name, brings Harmony.

Chorus:

He's a whole-souled Odd Fellow;
His creed is Friendship, Love and Truth.

Now Olive Branch she comes along
And captures him all alone;
While Canton Militant is here
Waiting for orders always near,
And Polynesia we respect,
Or else we may too soon regret.

Chorus:

He's a whole-souled Odd Fellow;
His creed is Friendship, Love and Truth.

Now Brother Frost, ere you depart,
A pleasant journey be with you;
The blessing of our Holy Lord
May be extended toward you,
And when toward home you come near
Do not forget your brothers here.

Chorus:

Now, brothers here, one and all,
Let's give three: cheers to Brother Frost.

A suggestion to have this song engraved for presentation to Bro. Frost was made, but the festive gathering voted to have it published instead.

A. F. Clark, P. G., was chairman of the committee on arrangements, his colleagues being Past Grand's Simon-ton, Smith and A. H. Hodson.

CURIOUS CASE.

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years, which is supposed to be ample time for him to complete his studies. He is now going to the Divinity School for the Pacific Coast in San Mateo, Cal.

Previous to leaving Tonga Mr. Mark had renounced allegiance to the Emperor of China and assumed fealty to George Tabou II, king of Tonga. As this step qualifies him to become a British subject it is hoped by his friends and well-wishers that he may thus be facilitated to re-enter Hawaii, if only for limited periodical visits to his parents. He brought a letter from Bishop Willis to Henry Smith, chief clerk of the Judiciary Department, who did what he thought best, while the question of Mr. Mark's staying over pending, to obtain a favorable decision.

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